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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

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In re the Application of:

Brian Tse Deng, et al.

Serial No: 09/752,567

Filed: December 28, 2000

For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR MICROCONTROLLER DEBUGGING

Docket No: TI-29958

Art Unit: 2183

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed February 16, 2001, enclosed please find 17 sheets of formal drawings for the above identified application.

Please charge any necessary fees to the deposit account of Texas Instruments Incorporated, Account No. 20-0668.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are formal drawings for the subject case. Charge any necessary fees to the deposit account of Texas Instruments Incorporated, Account No. 20-0668.

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